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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE: DISAPPEARANCES OF REV. PABLO GAZZARI (461/78/7), REV. CARLOS ARMANDO BUSTOS (460/78/7) AND REV. MAURICIO KLEBER SILVIA IRIBARNEGARAY (319/78/4)

H PASS: HONORABLE LOWELL P. WEICKER, JR
U.S. SENATE WASHDC

1. DEAR SENATOR WEICKER:

IN RESPONSE TO YOUR INQUIRY ON BEHALF OF YOUR CONSTITUENT, ³ CONCERNING THE DISAPPEARANCES OF THREE PRIESTS IN ARGENTINA, THE FOREIGN OFFICE'S WORKING GROUP ON HUMAN RIGHTS HAS INFORMED US THAT THE ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT HAS NO RECORD OF THE DETENTION OF REV. GAZZARI, REV. BUSTOS AND REV. SILVA, NOR ANY INFORMATION REGARDING THEIR WHEREABOUTS.

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2. WE WILL CONTINUE TO EXPRESS INTEREST IN THESE CASES AND WE WILL KEEP YOU INFORMED OF ANY FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

3. SINCERELY YOURS, RAUL CASTRO, AMBASSADOR.
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